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Re: Himco, Inc. Dump Site  
Elkhart County, Elkhart, Indiana  
Our File: 219-86

Dear Mr. Linson:

This letter should serve as a formal request under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) relative to the above-referenced site. I am interested in procuring any materials and documents available at your agency dealing with the Himco Incorporated Dump Site located on County Road 10 and Nappanee Extension in Elkhart, Indiana. It has come to our attention that the USEPA has proposed listing the Himco, Inc. Dump Site on the National Priorities List under CERCLA.

Specifically, I am interested in the following information: All records available relative to an alleged contamination of soil, groundwater, surface water or air at or near the site, any orders, permits (including NPDES), permit applications, correspondence, memoranda, hydrogeologic surveys, laboratory sampling results, historical information, PRP data, and any other documentation pertinent to the Himco Dump Site.

Please forward acknowledgement of this FOIA request at your earliest convenience. I would appreciate an estimated date for provision of the materials. Your cooperation in forwarding them as expeditiously as possible would be greatly appreciated. However, if there are voluminous documents relative to the site, I ask that you speak with me prior to sending them so that I may determine whether an on-site inspection is warranted.

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Very truly yours,

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